

# Habitat-NYC's Donors Speak Out

About why they support our mission to transform lives and our city by building quality homes for families in need and uniting all New Yorkers around the cause of affordable housing.



## Housing

*“The home is the foundation on which the family stands – good foundations inspire good works. Affordability is of prime importance.”*

*“I believe in helping people who strive to help themselves. I admire your ideals. Being a New Yorker, I know only too well the expenses of housing and the desire to have a home.”*

## Transforming Lives

*“I know that especially now-a-days many people are finding it hard, especially since there are so many people with families who are out of work, so I just like to help out when I can.”*

*“Because I want to do my part to help people.”*



## Giving Back to NYC

*“Lived in Washington DC for 40 years and gave to Habitat local there. Moved here and am teaching at CUNY. So, it's time to support Habitat-NYC. Thanks for your great work.”*

*“I was a Director and Board Member of Habitat in Trinidad West Indies. I would be interested in assisting here in Brooklyn. I find the interaction rewarding.”*

## Volunteering

*“I helped paint homes with Habitat in college and feel passionate about its mission. I would love to volunteer to work on homes.”*

*“Habitat for Humanity is great. It gives to so many people that are in need and your help with so many volunteers gives them hope.”*



## Advocacy

*“I suffered myself from predatory lending. My four-family brownstone house went in short sale. I had to undergo humiliation and my credit rating going down. Living accommodation is important for a human being for health, education and stability.”*